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Matters relating to the Inland Transport Committee: decisions on matters relating to the Inland Transport Committee

Decision on matters relating to three subsidiary bodies of the Inland Transport Committee

Background

1. At its eightieth session (Geneva, 20–23 February 2018), the Inland Transport Committee adopted the renewal of the mandates of the following groups of experts (ECE/TRANS/274, paragraphs 30 and 54 respectively):

(a) Group of Experts on Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation for Transport Networks and Nodes for one more year after the approval by the Executive Committee in order to report back to its parental body the Working Party on Transport Trends and Economics (WP.5) in September 2019;

(b) Group of Experts on Road Signs and Signals until 31 December 2018.

2. The Inland Transport Committee further decided to renew the mandate of the Group of Experts on Unified Railway Law for two more years after the approval by the Executive Committee in order to report back to its parental body the Working Party on Rail Transport (SC.2) in November 2020 (document ECE/TRANS/274, paragraph 69) and adopt its new terms of reference as contained in document ECE/TRANS/2018/13/Rev.1.

3. The Executive Committee is invited to approve the renewal of the mandates of the Group of Experts on Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation for Transport Networks and Nodes and of the Group of Experts on Road Signs and Signals, and the renewal of the mandate of the Group of Experts on Unified Railway Law and its new terms of reference.

Draft Decision

4. The Executive Committee hereby approves the renewal of the mandates of the Group of Experts on Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation for Transport Networks and Nodes and of the Group of Experts on Road Signs and Signals as contained in document

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ECE/TRANS/274, and the renewal of the mandate of the Group of Experts on Unified Railway Law and its new terms of reference as contained in document ECE/TRANS/2018/13/Rev.1.